

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

JACKSON

Dave Appleton and family, who spent the summer on the Joe O'Donnell farm, moved Monday to Winnebago, Neb. Mary Moore returned the last of the week from a visit with relatives and friends at Newcastle, Neb. John Ryan returned from Omaha last Thursday, where he had accompanied a shipment of five cars of cattle which he shipped out of here last Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. P. Gornally were called to Sioux City last Friday by the illness of Mr. Gornally's sister, Mrs. Jas. Sherlock, of Emerson. Mrs. Sherlock died Sunday at St. Vincent's hospital Sunday, after a short illness. Mr. Boler of this place went to Emerson Tuesday to attend the funeral, and was one of the pallbearers. Pat Heenan and family moved the first of the week to Sioux City where they rented a home at Morningside, and where the children all have work. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Baney returned the first of the week from a visit with relatives at University Place, Neb. O. O. Miller returned last Saturday from a week's visit in Omaha. He also visited in Norfolk en route home. Mrs. Lee O'Dell and baby of Homer, and Mrs. Arnot spent over Sunday in the Fred Andersen home. Mrs. Arnot was a guest in the Eugene Gibson home while here. Rev. M. A. Quinn of Bancroft, Neb., exchanged parishes with Rev. McCarthy Sunday, the latter returning home Monday evening. Wednesday being the feast of the immaculate conception and a holiday, the school children enjoyed a vacation. Mrs. Kate Sawyer returned Saturday evening from a Thanksgiving visit in the E. W. Nordyke home in Sioux City. Anna Erlich of Sioux City, spent over Sunday with the home folks. Beulah Foster departed Monday for Centerville, S. D., where her parents have located. The Carpenters at Willis, Neb., have purchased P. A. Twohig's garage, where they expect to open a general merchandise store for the present. They expect to build in the spring. Mrs. J. A. Hall is on the sick list this week, and William Hartnett, who has been quite sick the past two weeks, is much improved. The Mason's Jubilee singers will appear here Dec. 9th. The ladies are making big preparations for their bazaar, that will be held in St. Patrick's hall, Saturday, December 11th. Supper will be served from 5 p. m. to 7 p. m. All invited. List of letters remaining in the postoffice at Jackson, Neb., for the week ending December 4, 1920: Mr. William Howard. M. J. Flynn, P.M.

HUBBARD

Mrs. Peter Shearer returned last week to her home at Emerson, after spending a week in the home of her parents here. Dille Bartels returned to Wayne last week after spending Thanksgiving in his home here. Mrs. John Jensen and daughter were in Sioux City the past week. Mike Farrell, who has been very sick, is slightly improving. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hansen were city shoppers the latter part of the week. Mike Smith, who was taken to the hospital some time ago, is reported to be getting along nicely. Mr. and Mrs. R. Johnson entertained relatives at dinner last Friday. Mrs. Sheahan and daughters Margaret and Bonnie Hartnett, John Jensen, Neis Andersen, Mrs. Shanahan, Marzella and W. Shanahan, Mike Hurley, Frances Smith, Miss Maloney, Mike Jones and Miss McCauley were city passengers Saturday. Mabel Heffernan came home Saturday to spend Sunday. Kathryn Long was home over Sunday. Rose Stephens spent a day the past week in Sioux City. Mrs. Storey was a city shopper Saturday. Margaret Uffing has resigned her position as teacher near Correctionville, Iowa, and is at home. Ben Long was a visitor in Jackson the past week. Pat Jones was a county seat visitor the past week. Mike Beacom spent a day the past week with relatives in Sioux City. Mrs. Dan Hartnett was in Sioux City a couple of days the past week. Grace Lewis is visiting for a few days in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. Giffert. W. Jones returned last week to Sioux City, after spending Thanksgiving week in the home of his parents. Nellie Hayes was a city shopper the past week. Rev. Dr. Zeph spent Saturday in Willis with Fr. Gleason. John Hayes was in Sioux City Saturday. Mrs. Pearl Persinger and children visited relatives here and in Homer the past two weeks. The Glen Harris residence will soon be enclosed. L. Sorensen went to Sioux City last week to visit friends for a few weeks. The Christensen family visited on Sunday in the C. Andersen home. E. Christensen and wife enjoyed a visit from old neighbors from Ida county, Iowa, last week, whom they had not seen for about nineteen years. Mrs. John Heffernan spent a few days in Omaha visiting relatives the past week. Rev. Andersen of Sioux City was here last week to teach his confirmation class. Dr. Magiri of Jackson, and Dr. J. Daugherty of Sioux City, were in

consultation at the Mike Farrell home Saturday. L. Sorensen visited in the Christensen home last Friday. Mrs. Carl Andersen, who has been suffering with rheumatism, is somewhat improved. Rose Hartnett spent a portion of the past week at her home in Jackson. Anna Beck spent Saturday and Sunday in the E. Christensen home. Mrs. Wm. Goertz and daughter visited in the Mike Farrell home one day the past week. Harry Wilkins and Jim Green were out Monday fixing up telephone trouble. We wish they would do some more fixing.

ELK VALLEY

David Woods, Bessie Woods and Bert Herrick were in Dakota City and Sioux City on business Friday of last week. The Gutzman public sale which was held Wednesday of last week, was well attended. Part of his property brought fair prices, but a part of it, especially the machinery and the horses, went at a very low figure. The John Hinken and Charles Stewart families were entertained at dinner at the Loren Tilton home last Sunday. Mrs. Burt McClain was taken to the Samaritan hospital in Sioux City the first of the last week for an operation. Newton W. Gaines of the Rural Life Extension department of the State University, and C. R. Young, Dakota County Agent, will be in Elk Valley community Tuesday, December 14th interviewing the people of the community as to organizing for community work. Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m., Mr. Gaines will address the people of the community at the Elk Valley Friends church, after which the Community organization will be perfected. We urge every person in the community that has the interests of the community at heart to be present. Mr. Gaines in his most excellent community address, and unite with the organization for real uplifting community work. Those who fail to hear Mr. Gaines will miss a rare treat. We invite citizens of Dixon county who are connected with this community to meet with us. American Quakerism Week which we had planned to observe from Sunday, December 12, to Sunday, December 19th, has been postponed until some time in January, on account of Rev. McClellan being in South Dakota during this month. Rev. Theo. and Estella Foxworthy of Central City, Neb., superintendents of Nebraska Yearly Meeting of Friends, were at Elk Valley from December 3rd to 5th. They were greatly blessed of the Lord in bringing many helpful messages to us in the various sessions held. Mr. and Mrs. Foxworthy are exceptionally forceful speakers, their messages bringing conviction, helpfulness and good cheer to all. They are very fine singers, and their messages of song was greatly appreciated. They left for Springbank meeting Sunday afternoon, where they were to hold meetings until Tuesday of this week, after which they are to return to their home for a long needed rest, as they have been on the road for many months, having visited England and France during the past summer, attending the All Friends Conference in London, England. Rev. McClellan will leave for Vale, S. D., Friday of this week to begin a series of meetings which ran through the month of December. The services at the Elk Valley Friends church during his absence will be as follows: Sunday, December 12th, Rev. Wm. Kent of the Springbank church will preach for us. Sunday December 19th, Guy Solt, of Central City, Neb., will preach both morning and evening. Mr. Solt is an exceptionally brilliant student of the Nebraska Central college, and a fine speaker. Sunday, December 26th, the services will be in charge of the church. A most cordial invitation is extended to one and all to come out and hear these two able ministers of the Gospel.

HOMER

Miss Julia Avery arrived Wednesday from Titusville, Pa., to keep house for her brother, Rev. T. J. Avery. Fred Wilkins returned Thursday from Rochester, Minn., where he has been under the care of Mayo Bros. for some time. Miss Mabel Crippen went to Sioux City Thursday evening. Mrs. Fueston and daughter Dorothy of Dakota City, were Homer visitors Saturday. Born, to Harvey Beardshear and wife at the Will Beardshear home on Thanksgiving day, a son. Harold Allaway of South Sioux was a Homer visitor Saturday. Tom Allaway and family were Homer visitors Sunday. Mrs. Mary Myers died very suddenly Sunday morning, before medical aid could be summoned. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery at Homer. Frank Combs and wife of South Sioux City, were visitors here Sunday. The Misses Mamie and Julia Holsworth, Anna and Lillian Petersen and Zora and Alberta Midkiff were incoming passengers from Sioux City Sunday. John H. Myers of Sioux City came over Sunday on account of the death of his aunt, Mrs. Mary Myers. Co. Supt. Voss of Dakota City visited home folks Sunday. Mrs. Wm. Miller and baby arrived Saturday to visit her sister, Mrs. Bert Smith and family.

DAKOTA COUNTY HERALD

John H. Ream, Publisher. Miss Mae Altemus of Dakota City, and her niece, Miss Charlotte Sides, were Sunday visitors at the Audrey Allaway home. Dan Hilton and wife were incoming passengers from Sioux City Monday. Geo. Whaley has been on the sick list for several days. He was thought to be in a serious condition Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Joe Smith was quite sick the first of the week. Frank Kettler and family were incoming passengers from Sioux City Monday. Frank Ford and James Twohig and wife of Sioux City, were Homer visitors Monday, at the Myers home. Dr. Daily enjoyed a visit from his mother, of Lincoln, and his aunt of New York City. Mrs. Audrey Allaway was an incoming passenger from the north Tuesday. Rev. Avery was on the sick list the first of the week. Miss Gertrude McKinley, of Sioux City, was a between train visitor here with relatives Saturday.

SALEM

Geo. W. Bates and wife were visitors over Sunday at Coleridge, Neb., with relatives. Mrs. Joe Munsinger and little baby were here from Wayne the past week visiting in the S. A. Heikes home. Mrs. Horace Culbertson and baby arrived home Saturday from Lincoln, where they had been to attend the funeral of Mrs. Culbertson's niece, Gene Bernstein. S. A. Heikes expects to leave about the 15th for Orange, Cal. in time to spend Christmas with his family in their winter home there. Mrs. C. T. Paulson, daughter Ethel, and son Ernest, are here from San Francisco, Cal., on a visit in the home of Mrs. Paulson's sister, Mrs. S. A. Bridenbaugh. Don't forget the community sing at the Salem church this Friday evening. Miss Amy Culbertson writes from Berkeley, Cal., where she is attending college, that she likes her work very much. She and Mrs. Herbert Voberg, formerly of this county, but now residing at San Francisco, spent Thanksgiving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fisher at Modesta, Cal. The M. G. R. club met last Wednesday, the 1st, with Mrs. Chas. Sierk, with a good attendance. Mrs. John Bobier and Mrs. Fred Dierking of Walker's Island, were visitors of the club. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Coughtry entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Beermann and son Roy, and Harry Engelen, the occasion being Wheeler's "steenth" birthday.

Lutheran Church Notes

By Rev. C. R. Lowe. Our congregation was much pleased to have Dr. E. E. Stauffer, the president of Midland college, with us last Sunday morning. In the afternoon he and M. G. Leamer, wife and daughter, at whose home he was entertained, made some calls at a few of our homes to interest some of our young people in higher education and Midland. There was not time enough to visit as much as he had wished. Dr. Stauffer returned to Fremont Monday. Our adult catechism class began its work last Sunday night with five persons present. This is an opportunity for our older people for some instruction they never had before. If you are interested in what the Bible teaches concerning the subjects taken up by the little book, you will be interested in this work. Come next Sunday evening. We will be looking for you at the church next Friday night to enjoy yourself with your friends and neighbors. We will sing old songs, spell old words, have some music and be sociable generally. Don't you dare to miss it. Rain spoiled our Tabitha Home offering a couple Sundays ago. Some of the friends have handed the pastor some money for the home, instead of sending provisions, since it is more easily sent and just as good. We are promised the minutes of our last synod the latter part of this week.

A COMMUNITY SING

Will be held at the Salem Lutheran church on Friday evening, December 10, commencing at 7:45 p. m. Brown's Family orchestra will furnish music. Mrs. O. W. Fisher will preside at the piano for the community sing. There will be a spelling bee for both old and young. Amusements for children in the lecture room during the spelling bee. Following is the program for the evening: Spelling bee. London bridge. Magic music. Play, "Kitty." Mulberry bush. Who has the ring? Pin a star on the flag. What have I on my back? Community sing—America. Swanee River, Annie Laurie, Old Black Joe, I Love to Tell the Story, Auld Lang Syne, Till We Meet Again (war song), Kentucky Home, Three Blind Mice (roundelay), Jesus Bids Us Shine, Yield Not to Temptation, Home, Sweet Home, What a Friend We Have in Jesus, Onward Christian Soldiers, Holy, Holy, Holy, Rescue the Perishing, Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus, John Brown's Body, Mary Had a Little Lamb, Five Times Five, Twenty-Five, Good Night Ladies, Star Spangled Banner. Reading, "The Husband's Experience." Piano solo, Mrs. Fred Schultz. Vocal solo, Elda Berger.

Farm Bureau Field Notes

C. R. Young, County Agent. Complaint comes from the north end of the county that the Farm Bureau is charging different prices for membership into the Federation. On questioning into the matter, we found that some were being asked \$18, while \$10 is the dues for the Farm Bureau. This at once told us that the Non-partisan League was working in that part of the county as that is their membership fee. With more than one farmers' organization in the field, care in criticizing should be made to get the right fellow. Have you read "A Year of Farm Bureau Achievement," in the December issue of the Country Gentleman? This article sums up a year's work of the National Federation. Every farmer should familiarize himself with these things. The organization has some big accomplishments to its credit. Learn them, that you may not only know yourself, but also that you may tell them to your neighbor who may not be a reading man. It is highly important that every farmer have full knowledge of the doings of the organization representing him. If you have not read this article, secure a copy of the paper and do so at once. It is mighty interesting and instructive. A poultry meeting will be held at the Wm. Rohde farm, 1 1/2 miles south of Nacora, at 10 o'clock, Thursday, December 9th. It is proposed to start a demonstration poultry farm at that place. A culling demonstration will be conducted and a talk given on feeding for winter egg production. Suggestions will also be made for equipping the poultry house. Everybody is invited to attend this meeting. On the evening of December 14th, a community meeting will be held at the Elk Valley church in Pigeon Creek precinct. It is the purpose of this meeting to organize the interests of the community into real working forces for the betterment of the neighborhood and the agricultural interests in having in its personnel a man like Rev. McClellan, pastor of the Elk Valley church, who has such a keen interest in the welfare of the people and who is so willing to aid with the work. Mr. McClellan has aided in organizations of this kind in other states. A meeting for the same purpose and with a kind of a program will be held at Walker's Island school in Covington precinct, on the evening of December 15th. This meeting is under the direction of the Birthday club, a neighborhood ladies' organization. They have already started a fund towards the building of a community house. Newton W. Gaines, of the State Extension Service, will assist in both meetings. This will insure entertainment as well as some real business. Everybody come.

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